

Great Salt Lake Advisory Council Meeting

November 8, 2017

Location: Davis County Administration Building

Great Salt Lake Advisory Council Members present

Don Leonard, Chair	Great Salt Lake Brine Shrimp Cooperative
Randy Elliott	Davis County
Todd Bingham	Utah Manufacturers Association
Chris Montague (alternate)	The Nature Conservancy
Jeff Richards	Migratory Bird Protection Areas
Tom Ward	Sandy City (municipal)
Leland Myers	Central Davis Sewer District
Jeff Scott	Box Elder County
Kerry Gibson	Weber County

Great Salt Lake Advisory Council Staff present

Laura Vernon	DNR, Division of Forestry, Fire and State Lands
Jodi Gardberg	DEQ, Division of Water Quality

Notes

Agenda approval and previous meeting note corrections

Meeting agenda and notes from September 13, 2017 meeting approved with no corrections.

Reports and Discussions

Laura Ault (DNR, Division of Forestry, Fire and State Lands) provided updates on the Salinity Task Force (00:01:40) and the Promontory Point Landfill (00:19:10).

Todd Bingham motioned to submit a comment letter outlining general concerns regarding the landfill approval process and encouraging adequate research prior to approval. Motion seconded by Leland Myers. Motion approved unanimously following discussion and clarification.

Laura Vernon (DNR, Division of Forestry, Fire and State Lands) provided an update on the GSL Integrated Water Resources model (00:04:30).

Council Review of Report: Water for Great Salt Lake (00:32:40)

Don Leonard reviewed the results of the Council member survey responses to proposed water strategies. The Council identified and discussed strategies on which members were in consensus supporting, in consensus opposing, or needed additional detail.

Todd Bingham motioned to adopt all consensus water quality strategies (including those with 6 green votes). Motion seconded by Leland Myers. Motion approved unanimously.

Todd Bingham motioned for the Council to agree that strategy numbers 16, 53, and 65 are consensus reds. Seconded by Leland Myers. Approved unanimously.

Kerry Gibson motioned to send out survey of consensus items for Council member prioritization. Motion seconded by Jeff Scott. Motion approved unanimously.

Public Comments (01:28:10)

The Council received two public comments.

2018 meeting schedule

January 10, March 14, May 16, July 11, September 12, November 14

Next meeting

January 10, 2018, 10:00-11:30 am.

Meeting adjourned